

ARTICLE APPEARED
ON 7APHILADELPHIA INQUIRER
27 JULY 1978

C443.02.2

C4404 Con sulluela, Manuel Hevia

Cuban newspaper says CIA infiltrated by spy for Havana

From Inquirer Wire Services

HAVANA—A Cuban spy infiltrated the CIA in the 1960s and worked for it for eight years, the official Cuban newspaper Granma has reported.

Granma said that the spy, Manuel Hevia Consulluela, worked his way up to a senior position in the agency and was chief of security at a 1970 meeting of governors of the Inter-American Development Bank.

Hevia Consulluela's CIA career

began in 1962, when he pretended to accept recruitment in Havana, the newspaper said. It said he later left Cuba, theoretically in exile, to work for the agency, while in fact he was fulfilling instructions from Cuba security headquarters all the time.

He is writing a book, called "Passport 11333—Eight Years with the CIA," that is to be published soon, Granma said.

The report coincided with an appearance on Cuban television by

Philip Agee, a former CIA agent, who denounced the agency's activities. In a 30-minute interview, Agee discussed CIA operations in Latin America during the 1960s and said that part of his work had been to damage Cuba's relations with other Latin American countries.

Agee, who wrote a book on his CIA career for which he was threatened with prosecution by the agency, was invited to Cuba to take part in the week-long "World Youth Festival," which begins here tomorrow. As part of the event, a commission is to investigate "The Crimes of Imperialism," focusing in particular on CIA actions.

The CIA has been accused of, and in some cases has admitted, various operations against Cuba, including plots against the life of President Fidel Castro.

During Tuesday night's interview, Agee said he wanted to help people understand better "what the CIA is doing and how to identify its personnel in different parts of the world."

He said his second book, "Dirty Work, The CIA in Europe," was being printed and was more important than his first one, "CIA Diary — Inside the Company."

Agee added: "I have a contract for a third book with my editors in London which has to do with the CIA in different regions of the world."

He said he believed that "the interests of the CIA are really against the peoples of the world, and that includes the peoples of the United States themselves."

~~584-112~~ Passport 11333-
Eight years with
the CIA

C4404 Agee, Philip
ORGI World Youth Festival

Dirty Work